## INTERVENTION



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## BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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IN THE MATTER OF SEMPRA ENERGY SOLUTIONS APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR COMPETITIVE RETAIL ELECTRIC SERVICES

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Pursuant to A.A.C. R14-3-105, Air Liquide Large Industries US, L.P. ("Air Liquide") hereby applies to the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") for an order granting Air Liquide leave to intervene in the above captioned proceeding. Air Liquide supplies oxygen, nitrogen, hydrogen and many other gases and services to many industries [(1) copper mining; (2) electronics and paper; (3) aerospace; (4) healthcare; (5) metallurgy and food-processing; and (6) oil refining] by providing innovative solutions to improve our customers' industrial performance while helping to protect the environment. Air Liquide is also a large consumer of electricity that owns and operates a manufacturing plant in Pima County, Arizona.

## **DISCUSSION**

Air Liquide owns and operates manufacturing plants in other states where electric competition is available to retail consumers. In fact, Air Liquide has several of these plants under special contract with retail marketers, including Sempra Energy Solutions ("SES"). As a potential customer of SES and other Electric Service Providers, Air Liquide has a substantial interest in the issues that will be addressed in this proceeding,

and its participation will not broaden these issues nor unduly delay the proceedings, 1 except upon leave of the Commission first had and received. 2 Air Liquide requests that all communications in connection with the above-3 captioned proceedings be directed to: 4 5 C. Webb Crockett Patrick J. Black 6 FENNEMORE CRAIG, P.C. 3003 North Central Avenue, Suite 2600 7 Phoenix, Arizona 85012-2913 (602) 916-5333 8 Facsimile: (602) 916-5533 wcrocket@fclaw.com 9 pblack@fclaw.com For the reasons set forth above, Air Liquide respectfully requests that the 10 Commission grant its Application for Leave to Intervene in this matter. 11 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 1<sup>ST</sup> day of June 2006.. 12 13 FENNEMORE CRAIG, P.C. 14 15 Webb Crockett Patrick J. Black 16 3003 North Central Ave., #2600 Phoenix, AZ 85012 17 Attorneys for Air Liquide Large Industries 18 US, L.P. **ORIGINAL** plus **13 COPIES** of the foregoing filed this 1<sup>st</sup> day of June 2006 with: 19 20 **Docket Control** 21 Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 West Washington 22 Phoenix, AZ 85007 23 COPIES of the foregoing mailed this 1<sup>st</sup> day of June 2006 to: 24 Lawrence V. Robertson, Esq. 25 Post Office Box 1448 Tubac, AZ 85646 Attorney for Sempra Energy Solutions 26

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